Big Red Cross Drive Begins May 20

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Big Battle Near on West Front

MILLION U. S. SOLDIERS TO CRUSH THE GERMANS IS PLANNED BY GEN. FOCH

WASHINGTON, May 13—That the United States forces in France and England are to be maintained in reserve until they number in excess of 1,000,000 men ,is indicated in the summary of operations cabled by the British war cabinet, was the cause of no surprise here today. It has been felt for a week that the allied lines in the west were holding and that the greatest force of the German drive has been met and resisted.

That being true, and General Foch having refrained from instituting a general counter offensive, officials here who were closely watching the situation became convinced that the allied plan would be to maintain their present line and force the Germans to continue their offensive at great cost. Meanwhile the trained and partly trained troops, which were going forward from the United States and Italy could be completely trained to take their places in the offensive which is expected to be undertaken by the entente late in the coming summer.

THESE STAY ON LINE.

However, officials pointed out here today that it must not be assumed that the American forces now operating with the French in Flanders, near Verdun, near Toul and in Lorraine will be withdrawn. These forces will continue to perform the tasks set for them, and they will be supported by trained American reserves now on the scene.

It simply means, officials here assume that the national army divisions, already behind or going, will be fully trained behind the lines and then will be organized into combat armies under American commanders for such work as Foch shall map out for them. Foch, as a matter of fact, has a reserve of some 900,000 men who have not been thrown into action. They are held, according to official advices received here, at points where they can be utilized when needed should the German assault become a menace anywhere.

ARTILLERY'S GOOD WORK.

Meanwhile the American heavy artillery is declared to be doing excellent work. Advices reaching here today confirm the report, carried exclusively in the International News Service Washington dispatches last Thursday, that Yankee artillerymen had a surprise for the Germans. It is now admitted that the American heavy guns—their nature can not yet be revealed—are wrecking the German supply lines at a dozen points on the westrn front. These guns are mounted on great steel railway cars, properly braced, and can be rushed from one point to another with the utmost dispatch. Ordnance officials who know what is going on declared taday that only a small beginning has been made and that there are other surprises in store for the Hun which will show him that his boasted Krupp and Skoda not only can be outranged but outspeeded.

JOHN NEILL IS CALLED AFTER LONG LIFE

As the Record-Herald goes to press today word comes from Yountville that Uncle John Neill, veteran of the civil war and pioneer resident of this city is dead. He passed away last night at the Soldier's Home at Yountville, Napa county at the age of 79 years.

Deceased leaves a wife residing in this city to mourn his loss.

NICHOLL HEIRS HAVE ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP AT MILLS

As a memorial to the late Ruth Ann Boyd, aunt of John Nicholl and the other nephews and nieces, a scholarship to Mills College is awaiting some worthy young lady of Richmond. This scholarship, according to reports, is to be bestowed on a high school girl of this city who is to be selected by the Nicholl hears and the heirs of Mrs. Boyd, on account of the connection the Nicholl family with the history of Richmond since the town came into existance.

Miss Mary Nicholl, a sister of John Nicholl, is president of the Mills College Alumni, having been elected by the student body the other day to succeed herself. It was at this annual meeting that Dr. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt, president of Mills College, announced the founding of the Boyd Scholarship, in honor of the memory of Miss Nicholl's aunt, which as we understand it is to be perpetual, being kept alive by interest from a portion of the estate left by the deceased.

If no young lady from this city is found to accept the scholarship, then it is to be placed at the discretion of the scholarship committee of the college.

It is announced that $2000 of the fund has already been deposited with the college and the remainder of the $5000 is to be forthcoming on demand.

SAN FRANCISCO SUICIDE WAS A RESIDENT IN RICHMOND

H. Gudin, a former resident of this city killed himself late yesterday afternoon in Franklin Square Park, San Francisco, by shooting himself in the left breast with a revolver.

Very little is known of the dead man in this city, except that he was employed here some months ago. He never mixed with anybody and gave out no information concerning himself or family connections. Officers who are investigating the suicide in San Francisco declare that the man appeared to be in prosperous circumstances, had on a good suit of clothes, but left no clue as to why he committed the deed.

Deputy Coroner E. B. Smallwood ascertained this afternoon that Gudin has a sister in San Francisco residing at 59 Ford street. Her name is Mrs. Toth, but little information could be obtained from her concerning her brother or the motive which caused him to kill himself.

ELKS ARE LOSERS TO CROCKET BALL TEAM YESTERDAY

Those fellows came down from Crockett yesterday and did just what they had promised to do to our Elks—but not quite so bad, perhaps. But they held the big end of a 3 to 4 game and that is about all anyone could expect from those sugar refiners. But at that they are a swift bunch and are entitled to every bit of credit gained for the good grade of ball they put up. Another thing that entitles them to a great deal of praise is the fact that their home people are very loyal and give them their moral support.

Here is the box score as prepared by Official Score Keeper Elmer Bevan:

RICHMOND

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Menges, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Heister, ss	5	0	1	1	2	1
Ward, lf	5	0	2	2	0	0
Pfyl, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Autrey, 1b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Maas, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Friene, 2b	4	1	0	1	1	0
McDonough, c	3	0	1	17	0	0
Hollis, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Total	35	3	7	27	3	1

CROCKETT

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Ruman, ss	5	1	1	4	3	0
Scanlon, 2b	2	1	1	0	4	0
Smith, 3b	4	1	0	2	2	0
Torkelson, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Sears, 1b	4	0	1	15	0	0
Freitas, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Nolaway, rf	4	0	0	2	0	1
O'Hair, c	4	1	1	2	1	0
Lawson, p	4	0	0	0	4	0
Total	32	4	4	27	14	1

Summary

Two base hits, McDonough. Hit by pitcher, Menges by Lawson. Wild pitches, Hollis 1; Lawson 1. Base on balls off Hollis, 5; off Lawson 4. Struck out by Hollis 16; by Lawson 2. Umpire Baumgartner.

VICTOR ROSE TAKEN HOME TO RECOVER

Victor Rose, the young man who was injured in an accident when he skidded into an automobile with his motorcycle on Macdonald Saturday evening, has been taken home and is recovering from severe bruises and shock.

He is getting along nicely and will soon be as well as ever, according to the family physician.

SACRAMENTO TO HAVE BIG WAR MASS MEETING

Tomorrow night the people of Sacramento are going to have a big war mass meeting and Levi Boswell, well known G. A. R. man and member of the local exemption board has been invited to accept the vice-chairmanship of the meeting.

There will be present at the meeting representative people from all parts of the state and it is expected the armory hall, where the meeting is to take place will be crowded to the doors. The meeting is called by the State Council of Defense.

T. R. McCLURE, RANCHER

T. R. McClure who has sold more Richmond realty than any other one man in town and who last autumn purchased a small farm in the vicinity of Oakley, is in town for the first time in several months.

McClure likes ranch life and declares that he is doing well. His crops look fine and he is happy and healthy, which is about all there is to life after all is said and done.

WHIST PARTY PLANNED BY CIVIC CENTER CLUB

The Civic Center Club is going to give a whist party at the club rooms tomorrow afternoon. Hoover prizes are to be awarded to the successful players. The committee in charge of the event is composed of Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, Mrs. Byrone, Mrs. Welsh and Mrs. Waite.

Preceding the whist games the ladies will hold a short business session of the club.

TAKE PLACARDS FROM WINDOWS OF HOMES

The officers of the Mobilized Women request the people of Richmond to clear their windows of all placards and war service insigna, with the exception of their service flags, of course. Some of the windows of homes in Richmond are so filled up with these war service placards it is difficult to distinguish what they are all about.

This is a good time to wipe the slate off clean. The Third Liberty Loan is over and we are just starting in on a drive for the Red Cross. Let us clear the windows of all other signs, so that the Red Cross workers may readily distinguish their new placards when they are in place in the homes.

PINOLE BANK OPENS BRANCH AT RODEO

A branch of the Bank of Pinole has been opened at Rodeo, according to E. M. Downer, who is the manager of the Pinole Bank and also manager of the Mechanics bank of this city.

Rodeo has come into considerable prominence since the Hercules powder company has increased the size of its plant. Many of the employes of the concern make their home in Rodeo and will do their banking there, instead of in near-by towns, if they are provided with the proper facilities.

COUNCIL WILL MEET

The city council will hold the regular weekly meeting this evening for handling routine business for the city.

HUGE MASSES OF TROOPERS ARE BROUGHT UP BY ENEMY FOR DRIVE

LONDON, May 13.—"All the news from the western front indicates we are on the eve of great events" said the Evening News today. "Our scouts know that the enemy concentrations are nearing their completion."

ROME, May 13.—"After an intense bombardment the enemy attacked our new positions in the sector of Col della Orso, but was obliged to retire with heavy losses," the Italian war office announced today. "Elsewhere there was the usual artillery activity."

PARIS, May 13.—Active artillery fighting in Picardy on both sides of the Avre River is reported in today's official statement.

LONDON, May 13.—German artillery continues to bombard the British positions with great violence in various sectors, but so far there have been no further infantry assaults against them.

Hostile artillery was active during the night in the Somme Valley and in the Albert sector, as well as in the area between Locon and Nieppe forest, the war office announced today.

The Somme and Albert sectors are on the Picardy front, opposite Locon and Nieppe forest is about midway on the Flanders front.)

Belgian troops raided German positions north of Dixmunde (Flanders front), said an official statement issued by the Belgian war office at Havre last night. There is artillery activity of varying intensity along the Belgian front.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.

PARIS, May 13.—The artillery on both sides was active at several points north and south of the Avre River (Picardy battle front), the French war office announced today. The German lines north of Nomency were penetrated and two prisoners captured. The enemy attempted a raid in the region of St. Die, but it broke down under fire.

HOT DRINKS FOR TIRED FIGHTERS

The Red Cross Rolling Canteen.

In six months the American Red Cross supplied a million French poilus with hot coffee, tea, chocolate, bouillon, at the time they needed it most—just as they were entering the communication trenches for a tour of duty under boche fire or coming out, tired and worn, after their grueling vigil. If you were dragging the tiredest pair of feet in France through the mud, and if you were greeted by a cheery voice and a steaming pint of beef tea, wouldn't it be "a grand and glorious feelin'? Oh, boy!"

Now, this is the work of the "rolling canteen," and some day a Kipling will sing "the story of the tanks"—tanks of broth and bouillon that the Red Cross "Special Front Line Service" trundles up to the lines. The Military Sanitary Service supplies the wagons and utensils. The Red Cross unit does the work. It supplies these hot drinks at a cost of 50 francs ($10) per thousand men, a cent apiece!

Think of that—the penny your little girl sends the Red Cross can buy a big hot cheering drink, a good natured greeting, for a fighting man who desperately needs just that! One penny!

Red Cross Rolling Canteens to the number of 15 are now behind the lines in continuous service. Their crews are exposed to shell fire and often have to put on gas masks.

Eugene Hale, brother of United States Senator Hale, served six months with a rolling canteen in France, and he says:

"While the men are glad to have the hot drinks, their chief satisfaction consists in the sense this service gives them of a friend being there with a helping hand in a critical hour."

And now the American army has asked the Red Cross to maintain this front line service directly in touch with the medical relief stations nearest the Yankee front and this the Red Cross is eager to do.

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OUR ROLL OF HONOR

Louis Bonzagni, former city treasurer and banker of this city, but now with General Pershing's Expeditionary forces in France, writes to his parents in Martinez as follows:

Today, Sunday, is rather cold and rainy, etc., but I have been indoors so much during the week that I took advantage of my afternoon and went roaming through a nearby forest where I picked these wild violets and daisies. Although withered when you receive them, please consider the significance of this sweet gift of nature and accept the message of love as contained therein.

Upon my return from this most beautiful forest, I passed by our cemetery where a funeral was being held. The young aviator over whom the functions were being exercised, was laid to rest with military honors and his life although short in years, was his mother's gift to our dear Old Glory. To say the least these functions are very sad, but I feel that every American in this country is willing to give his life for the cause, if necessary. A mother's gift to her country's call is the grandest and most sacred of all gifts beyond any conceivable doubt. I, for one, who represents such an offering of a mother, feel that life is a mere mist and as it counts materially with the Flag, am ready.

I am very glad that you have done so well in behalf of the Red Cross. I know and see what they are doing here so all you give or collect for them is money devoted to a splendid cause. Tell this to your prospective givers so that they may give liberally. Just have them stop and consider that their donation may be used in part, by one of their own sons, by myself or some other Martinez boy. It is sad to think of these things but I now know and see that America is doing wonderful work through their gallant nurses.

I sincerely hope that you are all well as I am, and with my sincere love to you all, I will say bye! bye! for this time. I am,

Your loving son,
L. G. BONZAGNI.

Henry Schramm, wired his folks from Chicago that he and Lester Stromberg had reached that point safely on their way to Indianapolis, Indiana, where they went to join a regiment of engineers destined for France in the near future. The young men both left young wives here, but the call of their country was too great and insistant to resist, so they joined the army to fight for Humanity, Liberty, and Democracy.

Stromberg is a boilermaker and Schramm is an expert auto machinist. He knows all about automobiles and auto trucks and Uncle Sam has secured two very excellent men in Messrs. Schram and Stromberg.

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WILHELM, THE HUN

Truly has Frederick Wilhelm Hohenzollern, Prussian emperor, earned the title, or epithet, as it has now become, "the Hun," for a search of history shows the similarity of the present German ruler and "Atilla the Hun," who as early as the fourth century before Christ, let his hordes of barbarians into northern Europe devastating and pillaging with characteristic German brutality, which is maintained even today.

History records that Atilla was known as the "Fear of the World," and the "Scourge of God," Kaiser Wilhelm's greatest ambition, as evidenced by his war policies, is to terrify the world and frighten its people into submission. Atilla himself is believed responsible for the title, "Scourge of the World." In his he merely preceded Wilhelm who in the present world war has continually linked his name with that of God, forcing upon his people the statement that "me und Gott" will win the war.

Shortly before the year 441 Atilla proclaimed himself the "man-child destined to rule over the world." In the year 1914 Wilhelm made such statements, perhaps not in the same words, but in substance the same. Atilla met his defeat at the hands of a people over whom his tyranny had but little effect. They disregarded his statement of world power and were responsible for the stinging defeat he received before the close of his bloody life Wilhelm met his defeat at the hands of the allied nations to whom Liberty is sacred, and upon whom his bravado statements regarding world power have not the slightest effect. Atilla's terror-spreading policies lost their terrors after a time. Wilhelm's terrorizing policies already have lost their terror for all of the real manhood of the world.

Theodosius, ruler of a small province over which Atilla tyranized, was the first to disregard the demands of the Hun and as such was the first step in his downfall, France was the first to disregard the German emperor's idiotic demands and as such was the first step in what is destined to be his downfall into oblivion.

The comparison becomes an analogy as history proceeds. Atilla's friends, if they were in reality friends, were men who humbled themselves before him and who forgot their own dignity, prostrating themselves before him in craven submission. Wilhelm's friends are, either war mad as himself or of the "yellow type" which would kiss his boot were the fancy to have them do so strike the self-styled war lord. Boastful, braggados, craven at heart, quick to take advantage of a weak opponent, William of Hohenzollern, is in truth, an exact counterpart of his ancient ancestor. With his misshapen body alone does Wilhelm differ from the original Hun.

Atilla's hordes are pictured in many a history bearing upon their fierce horses some unfortunate woman whom they had debauched and whom they carried away, or hurled to death beneath their horses' feet some innocent babe. Wilhelm himself has not the iron in his blood, which places him at the front rank of the battle as was Atilla. Rather does he sit in the temporary safety of his palace and there, drunk with self-made applause, hatch out in his foul mind the villany of a super-hell. Carefullly has he planned and the execution of those plans mean death and disgrace to women and little children.

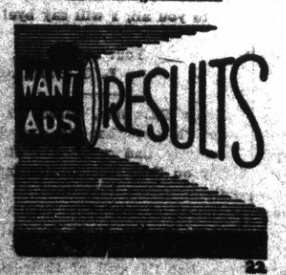
Atilla, however war mad he may have been, reckoned the cost to his own men, Here the analogy ceases, for Wilhelm cares nothing for the life or welfare of his people. He, is a knave, driven to insanity with a hope which he knows, now that America has entered the war, can never be fulfilled. And yet that same stubborn characteristic which drove Atilla on his mad career, so that at length outraged nature stopped him in a headlong manner, envelopes the shrunken soul of the man with the shrunken body today, so that he, too, is plunging to his own defeat and death.

Let us clear up this matter of raising $20,000 for the Red Cross next week in record-breaking time. There is but little use in extending it over the entire week when we can just as well clear it up in two or three days.

Watsonville has the right idea concerning war work. The people down there have established what they call a war chest and they keep a fund in it of $50,000 all the time, so that when one of the drives comes along for the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Knights of Columbus or the Red Cross, all they have to do is to go down into the chest and get the money. The chest is kept replenished by a subscription plan of a given number of the people of the community. Of course it is all voluntary, but those interested see that all who are able to subscribe regularly, do so.

Mind, we do not say the Night Riders are not attending strictly to their business, but we would like to suggest as a possible avenue for activity that they pay Kaiser Bill a visit some night with all their paraphernalia of mask, skull and cross-bones, buckets of tar and such like terrorizing stuff—not forgetting the sack of chicken feathers. We'll bet Bill would throw a cat-fit from sheer fright.

Eating up all the scraps from the table has given the chicken feed profiteers a chance to get in their deadly work. We can't save the scraps from the table and feed 'em to the chickens, too. We've got to obey Hoover and let the speculators on grain get in their work of unjustly enriching themselves or take a chance on being prosecuted for violating the food rules. The general public is between the devil and the deep sea—or words to that effect.



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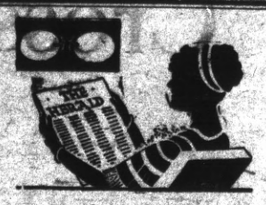

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Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the THIRD MONDAY IN OCTOBER, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next therafter, at six o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL NEXT at six o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY NEXT.

and will be delinquent on the

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That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa County.

MARTIN V. JOOST,
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
Oct 7—Oct 5

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

1918

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations, and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, or the Deputy Assessor's Office, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1918

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement, to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May 1918.

G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.
J. O. FORD,
Deputy at Richmond.
Mar 1 to June 1

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on Oct. 5th, 1918.

No person will be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may reigster with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 18t, 1918.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:

A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington avenue, Richmond.
George K. Drew, 154 Washington avenue, Richmond.
I. H. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 821 Bissel avenue, Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 635 South 19th street, Richmond.
J. R. Cryan 321 6th street, Richmond.
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Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
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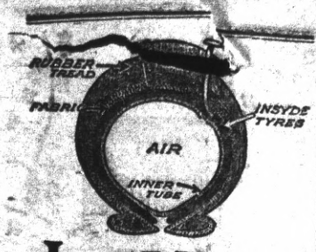

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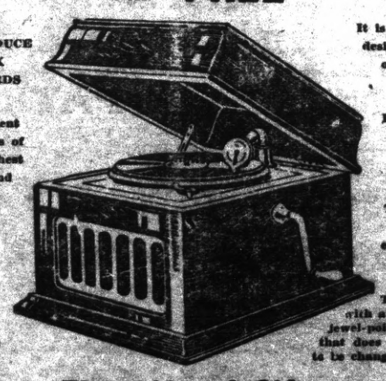

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By FRANKLIN K. LANE,
Secretary of the Interior.

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The Red Cross has spent more than $30,000,000 in France alone in the establishment of canteens for the poilus, the reconstruction of devasted districts, the care of homeless children, the housing of refugees, the sending of food, clothes and supplies to the sorely burdened civilian population. More than $2,000,000 has been spent in fighting tuberculosis, one of the worst of war's by-products; $1,149,000 has been expended for the shelter of war orphans. $2,709,736 has been appropriated for the reconstruction of villages and general relief work in the devasted areas.

In Italy a great work of relief was organized after the Austro-German drive of last fall, and the thousands of refugees that came pouring over the Po and the Piave were aided by a business-like and far-reaching supply and canteen service, improvised out of the existing organization. More than $3,000,000 was thus spent for Italy.

American funds will soon make the plain of Monastir fertile once more through the importation of seeds and agricultural implements. In this section of Serbia more than fifty thousand refugees have been on the verge of starvation for nearly two years.

It should be a source of daily pride to every American that our own Red Cross is adding new glories to the American Name in the Mother Continent. Our full support is essential if its present mighty work of succor and human brotherhood is to be continued on an ever increasing scale.

Smith Serves the Red Cross

By T. J. EDMONDS,
Director of Civilian Relief of the Potomac Division.

I.

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"Worth having?" I echoed. "You've dropped like a God-send. We've got the biggest man-sized job you ever tions. You're going straight with the Home Service. Something useful and human? Why, in a week this thing will be gripping you so that you'll eat and sleep it!"

II.

The Home Service Section of a big Red Cross chapter was in session. As Smith and I arrived they were discussing the problem of a soldier's wife and six children found living in two tenement rooms in a building that had been condemned because of a leaky roof, mouldy floor and lack of fire protection. They had sold most of their furniture piece by piece for current living expenses. The children had no change of clothing. There was no income and, because of the mother's condition, no possibility of one, except the expected allotment and allowance, which even when it came would not entirely meet the cost of living in the city. The Home Service worker had given a generous sum of money to meet the urgent needs, and now the committee was planning to rent better quarters, move the family, secure medical and nursing attention for the woman, outfit them all with clothing and furniture and keep regularly in touch with the family.

III.

In Smith's next case the Home Service Section and the tuberculosis society had arranged hospital care for a man discharged because of tuberculosis contracted "in the line of duty." Some attorney had told him he would get compensation for him on a fifty-fifty basis, but the lawyer-member of the Home Service Section helped him fill out the proper form which the Red Cross office supplied and assured him that no discharged soldier or soldier's beneficiary should ever pay for collecting either compensation or insurance.

IV.

A member of the women's uniformed corps drove us in her machine out to a camp where there are 80,000 men.

Here we met the Red Cross Home Service man. We didn't take his time—we just watched him. One moment he was helping a man to fill out duplicate allotment blanks; the next he was arguing the merits of insuring to the limit; the next he was wiring a Home Service Section to visit a man's family; next he was going with a boy who had received a tragic telegram from home to see the commanding officer about a leave of absense; then he was speeding on his way a poor fellow discharged because of permanent injury; then we saw him talking to a soldier and a girl wife at the hostess' house; and as the shadows fell he was closeted with a worried chap, who was telling him about an impending mortgage foreclosure and an expected baby.

V.

Later the same evening we saw him stand up in the Liberty theater and, his eyes glowing with the service picture in his own mind and his voice ringing with the conviction of his own enthusiasm, tell a thousand young fellows what Home Service is. He painted homes made happier by Home Service—told of friends for fighters' families found by the Red Cross—pictured devoted Home Service workers fighting the country's battles this side the trenches. When he ended some fellow struck up "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

We were silent for a long while on the way home, Smith and I. Finally Smith broke out:

"Can I do it? The sort of thing—camp service, you call it? Why, that's where I want to be—at the point of first contact with those living problems. Pershing was right when he said, 'The thing most needful to the American fighting forces overseas is anything and everything that will contribute to the morale of the men in service.'

"Home Service—I see it now—means morale. When can I go to work?"

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WOMAN AND WIFE NEW FILM SHOW AT RICHMOND PLAYHOUSE

In "Woman and Wife," the Select Star Series photodrama, dapted from "Jane Eyre," the immortal novel by Charlotte Bronte which will be shown at the Richmond Theater today and tomorrow, Alice Brady rises to great heights in her delineation of the unfortunate heroine. Ousted from the home of the Reeds, the rich relatives with whom she is living at the opening of the story, because of the young son's petulance, Jane Eyre is sent to an institution presided over by the cruel Mr. Brocklehurst. Here she wins all hearts, and luckily escapes from its irksome confines when she secures a position as governess to Adele, the daughter of Edward Rochester.

Rochester's wife, Valerie, had become insane, and had been told by her mother that she is dead. When, however, he falls in love with Jane and announces his engagement, Valerie's brother Raoul, who is in financial straits, brings her to Rochester's apartment. He conceals her, but she breaks loose and stabs him; the scuffle awakens Jane, but she is kept in the dark as to Valerie's identity.

On the wedding day, Valerie again escapes and the truth is disclosed. Jean is about to leave, when the poor demented woman runs to the water and is drowned. The cross besetting the two lovers is lifted, and they wed.

RETURNED FROM NORTH

Franck Welsh, one of the chief owners of Richmondite paving a homegrown product for road work, as the name implies, has returned hme from an extended trip through Oregon and Washington in the interests of his company.

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MARINES' PITCHER IS HERE VISITING FRIENDS

Charles Ashley, who is pitching for the Marines, the baseball aggregation from Mare Island, scheduled to appear in this city in a game with the Elks in the near future, is in town today visiting with E. J. Crandall, old friends of the family at Fresno.

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